## **ABSTRACT**

An improved chemical vapor deposition system including a lid having a channel

configured for delivering reactive cleaning gas to the interior of the vapor deposition system.

The lid including a cleaning gas distribution channel fluidly connected to a plurality of cleaning gas injection ports. The lid geometry is configured to generate desirable concentration gradients of reactive cleaning gas to the interior of a vapor deposition chamber. In some embodiments, the concentration gradient is selected to compensate for the temperature dependence of cleaning reactions. Methods of using the disclose system are disclosed.